

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A tape dispensing device comprising:
 - a body member which houses a roll of tape;
 - a cutting device coupled to one end of the body member for cutting a piece of tape from the roll of tape; and
 - a neutralizing device coupled to the body member and next to the cutting device for neutralize a static charge from the piece of tape.
2. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 1 wherein the body member comprises:
 - an "L" shaped base;
 - a cavity formed in an interior section of the "L" shaped base; and
 - a holding mechanism for holding the roll of tape in the cavity while allowing the roll of tape to rotate when tape is being dispensed.
3. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 1 wherein the cutting device is a dual direction cutting device.

4. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 3 wherein the dual direction cutting device comprises:

a channeling having an opening which allows the tape to pass through;

a first cutting surface located on a bottom edge of the channeling; and

a second cutting surface located on a top edge of the channeling.

5. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 1 wherein the neutralizing device is a magnet.

6. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 4 wherein the neutralizing device comprises:

a first magnet coupled to the body member and next to the first cutting surface; and

a second magnet coupled to the body member and next to the second cutting surface.

7. A tape dispensing device comprising:

a body member which houses a roll of tape;

a dual direction cutting device coupled to one end of the body member for cutting a piece of tape from the roll of tape, the dual direction cutting device comprising:

a channeling having an opening which allows the tape to pass through;

a first cutting surface located on a bottom edge of the channeling; and

a second cutting surface located on a top edge of the channeling;

a neutralizing device coupled to the body member and next to the cutting device for neutralizing a static charge from the piece of tape.

8. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 7 wherein the body member comprises:

an "L" shaped base;

a cavity formed in an interior section of the "L" shaped base; and

a holding mechanism for holding the roll of tape in the cavity while allowing the roll of tape to rotate when tape is being dispensed.

9. A tape dispensing device in accordance with Claim 7 wherein the neutralizing device comprises:

a first magnet coupled to the body member and next to the first cutting surface; and

a second magnet coupled to the body member and next to the second cutting surface.

10. A device for removing a static charge from tape comprising:

a base plate which is coupled to a tape dispensing device;

a channeling formed in the base plate wherein the channeling allows the tape to be pulled through the channeling;

a cutting surface coupled to an edge of the channeling; and

a neutralizing device coupled to the base plate and next to the cutting surface for neutralizing a static charge from the tape.

11. A device for removing a static charge from tape in accordance with Claim 10 wherein the cutting surface comprises:

a first cutting surface located on a bottom edge of the channeling; and

a second cutting surface located on a top edge of the channeling.

12. A device for removing a static charge from tape in accordance with Claim 10 wherein the neutralizing device is a magnet.

13. A device for removing a static charge from tape in accordance with Claim 11 wherein the neutralizing device comprises:

a first magnet coupled to the base plate and next to the first cutting surface; and

a second magnet coupled to the base plate and next to the second cutting surface.